

## AGREED TO DISAGREE

Juryman in the Davis Will Case Dismissed by the Court.

### COULD REACH NO VERDICT

After Being Out More Than a Hundred Hours They Fail to Arrive at a Decision.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—The agony of suspense is over even if no solution has been arrived at. "Arkansas is all right" and the Salt Creek contingent will probably honor Butte with another visit, possibly strongly reinforced, as their testimony failed to accomplish its purpose the first time.

At 10:30 o'clock this morning the 12 man and haggard jury who have been struggling since last Friday evening to arrive at a verdict marched into court and took their seats in the jury box. Without any formality Judge McElhatton asked them if they had agreed upon a verdict, and a negative in a sad and husky voice was the answer. He next asked them if they thought it possible to reach an agreement and another negative answer was given. Seeing that it would be useless to keep them out any longer the court told them they were discharged and at liberty to go. Instantly 12 countenances beamed and 12 faces were wreathed in smiles and a dozen men who had almost become strangers to their families left the court room and wended their way homeward to renew acquaintances almost broken off and look after long neglected business matters.

The members of the jury refuse absolutely to tell how they stood during the long time they were imprisoned, saying that they pledged themselves not to divulge the fact nor any of the other secrets of the jury room. This precaution, however, it seems was taken too late, as it leaked out as long ago as last Monday that seven were in favor of the contestants and five for the proponents. Since then no change has taken place in the vote, and the last had not taken place this way. This information may be regarded as reliable, for it was received from a tolerably reliable source.

George W. Newkirk and W. W. Adams seem to have suffered most from the sequestration. Both have been quite ill for several days past and were unable to accompany the other jurors to the hotel at meal times and at their meals in the jury room. Mr. Adams, who is a very corpulent man, was so reduced in flesh as to place him in a condition to enter a sprinting contest, he having lost 22 pounds of good, solid flesh. The other jurors stood the ordeal well.

Now that the case is over it may not be amiss to write to state that since the conclusion of the testimony and arguments a strong popular feeling has prevailed in favor of the contestants. A general belief is prevalent that the alleged will of 1886 had no existence prior to the death of Judge Davis, or if it existed, it was replaced by another will of a more subsequent date. Especially is this the opinion of those who knew the dead millionaire. They scout the idea that a man of his business acumen and shrewdness would make a will as alleged by the Iowa witnesses of peculiar memories, and allow it to remain during all the years he was alive in the custody of some backwoodsman. Then, too, the fact that the will was not discovered until the time alleged, and the fact that John A. Davis did not tell where or how he obtained possession of the will, and the further fact that Eddy was not placed on the stand, all have a tendency to control opinion, and this opinion, adversely stated, is anything but favorable to the proponents.

### OPIUM SMOKERS.

Pretty Pete and His Room Mate Up Be.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—"Pretty Pete" McCullough was tried in the police court this afternoon for conducting an opium joint down in Silver street. McCullough and another fellow, Frank Bengles, were arrested by Officers Carroll and Collins Monday night, and a complete outfit for smoking opium was captured. The house in which the arrests were made has long been known to the police as a "hop" dive and they have only waited for a good opportunity to make a raid on the concern. When the officers entered the house McCullough escaped through a side door but Bengles was not so fortunate and he was taken to the station together with the "layout," the pipe and lamp of which are still warm and the house was filled with the sickening odor of opium smoke. A couple of hours afterward McCullough returned to the house and was found by the officers, concealed under a bed.

At his trial today McCullough admitted he was a confirmed opium smoker of 15 years' standing and smoked opium in the house in which he was arrested, but denied that other people resorted there for the same purpose. He disclaimed being the owner of the "layout" and said he had borrowed it from a Chinaman. Bengles appeared as a witness for the defense and was indignant that the city attorney should accuse him of being an opium smoker. With a show of bravado he said he "was a fiend" once, but opium had ceased to have any more effect on him and he gave up the use of it, and now took morphine instead. As proof he boastfully produced a bottle containing some of the drug and placed it on the table in front of him. He said: "There is the drug I used to smoke. Opium don't do me any good now." He also said he was rooming with McCullough and gave that as a reason for being in the cabin when the officers called. McCullough's own admission were sufficient to convict him and the court imposed a fine of \$25 and costs.

The beautiful gentleman evidently considered the sentence as too severe and he asked the court what bond would be required for an appeal. He was told that \$100 would be about the right amount and sent one of his friends in search of a bondsman. Pending perfection of the bond the handsome gentleman was remanded, and the court made an order, confiscating the captured "layout." Tomorrow, Bengles will be tried for being a frequenter and inmate of an opium den.

### Notice of Removal.

On Monday, August 31, Dr. T. C. Witherspoon, will remove his office from the Mantle & Bielenberg block to the late residence of Dr. O. B. Whitford, corner of West Galena and Idaho streets. A private hospital has been fitted up in connection with Dr. Witherspoon's new office, where the best of care will be bestowed on all patients. Office hours will be from 8 to 9 a. m., and 12:30 to 2:30 and 7 to 9 p. m.

The Irrigation Congress will be in session in Salt Lake September 15th, 16th and 17th. For this occasion the Union Pacific Railway company will sell round trip tickets from Montana points at one fare. Tickets to be sold September 13th and 14th, good until September 30th for return passage.

## HIS FRIEND, M. SWANSON.

A Man Who Knew How to Make Money Easily.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—According to the evidence adduced before Judge Eddy this afternoon, C. E. McClure is a base, designing man, and Charles Swanson the personification of guilelessness, innocence and most striking veracity. Charles and "Mac" became acquainted at Divide a week ago, and yet during that short period of time McClure managed to gain the confidence of Swanson to such an extent that he was able to borrow money from him without security of any kind and on the flimsiest pretense. McClure secured a job of some kind at \$2 a day, but the work was hard and he soon grew tired of it. Working with him was Swanson, who considered himself without ground for complaint, and with the frugal characteristic of his race, he managed to lay by an occasional dollar. McClure soon learned this and set about to secure a portion of the Swanson's hoarded savings. He told Swanson that he knew a scheme by which an investment of a few dollars could be made to pay a big profit and offered to let Swanson in on the ground floor, if he would supply the cash. All that was needed was \$35, and this amount Swanson permitted him to have. McClure saying he had plenty of money in the East, some of which would be forwarded shortly. After he obtained the money, McClure informed Swanson that to make the proposed investment it was necessary for him to go to Butte and then came to the city. After McClure left, some of Swanson's friends told him he had made a fool of himself and he would never see his money or McClure again. Swanson finally arrived at the same conclusion and posted off for Butte, arriving here yesterday. He found McClure and asked to have his money returned, but the demand was unheeded. McClure told him that he had found a better place to go to Chicago, as the business he expected to transact here, he had learned could only be transacted at that city and then went to one of the railroad offices and purchased a ticket for Chicago, unmindful of Swanson's protests. Swanson now became convinced that McClure intended to swindle him out of his money, and he went before Judge Eddy, to whom he related his grievances. The judge issued a warrant for McClure's arrest on a charge of cheating, and Constable Lytle soon had him behind the bars. This afternoon the facts as above related were brought out at McClure's trial. Judge Eddy announced at the conclusion of the trial that he would reserve his decision until tomorrow, but from side remarks he was heard to utter afterward, it is not hard to guess what the decision will be.

When McClure was arrested he had the cash and \$15 in cash. At the trial he testified that he bought the ticket with the intention of going to Chicago to bring his family to Montana, and that he fully intended to repay Swanson.

### O'DONNELL'S TROUBLES.

He Is Arrested for Assault With a Deadly Weapon.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—Another act of the comedy, in which Dan O'Donnell, Thomas Stagg and Albert Allen sustain the principal parts, was performed today. Perhaps it would be more proper to state that two acts were introduced. It will be remembered that the three engaged in a fight a week ago last Sunday, and all were arrested. Allen was fined for disturbing the peace and Stagg for carrying concealed weapons. Today Allen was again arraigned on a charge of assault and battery on O'Donnell. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and costs, and not having the necessary amount of finances he was committed and will work on the streets a few days. The trial of Allen and Stagg took place in the police court, while O'Donnell was arrested on a warrant issued out of Judge Muldoon's court. The complaint charged him with committing an assault with a deadly weapon, namely, a steel knuckle. He was arrested by Constable Shepherd and released on a bond of \$150 to appear whenever wanted. To-night Judge Muldoon met him on the street and took him into custody and into court, where he was arraigned. O'Donnell pleaded not guilty and the court raised his bonds to \$500, an amount the accused was unable to furnish and he was committed in default until next Saturday, when he will be examined. O'Donnell admits having struck Allen, but denies that he used a weapon of any kind, and says he has witnesses to substantiate that statement. Several days ago, Allen said that he had signed no complaint against O'Donnell, and declared he knew nothing about the matter, as he was too drunk all the time to remember anything. In the city jail to-night he modified that statement by making another to the effect that he signed no complaint of a paper given him by Judge Muldoon, but did not know the exact contents of the instrument. He said that Judge Muldoon had asked him if O'Donnell had struck him, to which he had answered in the affirmative and that the complaint had then been made out and he signed it. Finally Allen admitted that he knew the purport of the complaint and then shut up and refused to say anything more. Afterward Judge Muldoon was interviewed and he denied Allen's statement. The judge said that Allen had appeared before him and exhibited several cuts on his head which he said had been put there by O'Donnell with steel knuckles. Upon this statement the judge said he had drawn up a complaint to which Allen swore to, and a warrant was then issued, but before service was made, the judge said, he and Patrolman Kilham went to a house in North Main street, where they found the knuckles said to have been used. The judge took possession of the weapon and then gave the warrant to Constable Shepherd, who arrested O'Donnell and accepted a bond for his appearance without first submitting it to the court for approval.

### District Court Notes.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—The case of George Haldorn vs. Gustave March et al. was tried in Department I. of the district court today, and finally settled after having been several times continued. The cause of action was the recovery of \$100 attorney fees, claimed by Mr. Haldorn for having collected for the defendant \$1,000. The case was decided in favor of the plaintiff.

On Sept. 19 the hearing of a petition for the appointment of a new administrator to the estate of Catherine Braucy will be held.

The default of the defendant was ordered entered in the case of Lee W. Foster vs. E. Sneddon and the clerk instructed to compute the amount due on several promissory notes.

The petition of William Harris to sell real estate in the Noyes & Upton addition was granted.

Plumbers Arrested.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—To-night the police arrested Thomas McCarrie and Frank Swartz, two plumbers, wanted at Missoula for malicious mischief. The arrests were made on a telegram from the city marshal of Missoula, who, when notified that the men had been caught, sent a second dispatch saying he would come for the prisoners to-morrow.

Ask your dealer for the Irwin Cigar.

## COMMISSIONERS MEET

Plans for Improving the Condition of the Court House.

### OTHER THINGS CONSIDERED

Bills Audited and Allowed—The County Must Pay the Expense of the Jury in the Davis Will Case.

BUTTE, Sept. 8.—The county commissioners today devoted the greater part of their time discussing the improvements necessary for the court house. In addition to having the building reroofed, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000, they propose having the cave treading replaced by a new outfit, as the caveing at present on the building is in a deplorable condition and almost useless. W. R. Kenyon has the contract for laying the new copper roof, and a number of carpenters are at present making preparations for the work, which, it is expected, will be commenced in a few days.

The pipes which convey the water from the caves to the ground are run down the outside of the building, which appears to be very unsatisfactory, as in cold weather they freeze up and bust, causing much trouble. To remedy this the commissioners intend running the pipes through the inside of the building, connecting them with a sewer pipe in the basement. Arrangements will also be made by which the pipes will be heated in cold weather to prevent freezing. The work, exclusive of the roofing, is estimated, will cost \$2,700. It is a well-known fact that these improvements are required, and the commissioners have concluded, after lengthy argument, to do the work in such a manner that as long as the building lasts no more trouble will arise from these defects.

The roof immediately over the sheriff's office, which is the worst of comparative weakness, will be greatly strengthened by the insertion of a steel stringer. The flooring is also in a bad condition and requires repairing. Along with the consideration of the improvements required, the board passed on a number of small accounts and signed warrants for their payment.

In a few days they will be required to issue a warrant in the sum of \$1,523, the amount of jury expenses incurred by the county in the Davis will case. Of this amount \$1,440 is the jury's fees, the remaining \$83 being the amount expended in boarding them while on duty. The knowledge of the fact that the county would be required to pay this amount, which is a matter of disagreeable surprise to the board. They had not previously given the matter a thought, and owing to the fact that the case was a civil one, they naturally concluded the county would not be required to defray the expenses of the jury. They were advised differently today, however, and will find themselves compelled to make an appropriation they heretofore had not thought of.

### WALKERVILLE NEWS.

Boys Must Keep Off the Streets After 9 o'clock at Night.

WALKERVILLE, Sept. 9.—Not only in Butte are the "kids" compelled to "turn in" early, but in Walkerville, too. This city is infested with an innumerable amount of small boys, and the language many of them indulge in is by no means of an elevated order. The citizens have tired of this kind of thing and the marshal has taken steps to prevent it, and in this particular has an unenviable task. The boys congregate around saloons, stores and such places and make things generally uncomfortable for many people. On the pretense of going to school some of the boys leave home at an early hour in the morning, and repair to the different mining institutions and mountains where the day is spent. There is a law in effect in this city which says boys between the ages of 9 and 14 shall go to school. The city is comparatively quiet now that the boys are chased off the streets several hours earlier than usual.

Mrs. E. H. Campbell left for Boise City yesterday to join her husband, who removed to that city several weeks ago. Mr. Campbell while here was engaged in the drug business, but disposed of his store to Mr. Williams and left for Boise, where he is now engaged in business.

Repairing of the Allen mill has been completed and the mill is now running full force. The time work in the mill when suspended was comparatively short, and now that a new battery shaft has been put in and other important improvements made, the mill is in fine condition.

### The Law and the Storage Rates.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 9.—A special from Grand Forks, N. D., says the mandamus proceedings against the Minneapolis & Northern Elevator company to compel the storage of wheat at the statutory rates of 2 cents per bushel, has been continued to Monday next at the request of the plaintiff. The court, however, intimated that the decision will be that in case elevators choose to do a storage business, the state may prohibit discrimination against parties storing and may fix the rate of storing.

### G. A. R. Encampment.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—The committees having charge of the Grand Army picnic and camp fire met to-night and were highly pleased with the prospects of a successful encampment. Quite a number of families have announced their intention to pitch camp with the boys and get a taste of the military life on the field. The encampment and picnic begins the day after to-morrow, Friday, and will continue until Sunday, inclusive.

### Breaking Up the White Squadron.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—An order was issued by Secretary Tracy to-day which forbids the breaking of the "white squadron." It was directed to the chiefs of the bureau and ordered them to immediately prepare the Yorktown for service on a Pacific station, and the gunboat Patrol for service on the Asiatic ocean.

### Judge Sawyer's Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 9.—The funeral services over the remains of the late United States Circuit Judge Lorenzo Sawyer was held to-day and was largely attended by members of the bar, municipal and federal officers and Masonic societies. The interment was at Laurel Hill cemetery.

### Beaman and Return—\$3 To.

For the Montana State Firemen's tournament to be held at Beaman September 23 and 24, the Northern Pacific Railroad company will sell round trip railroad tickets at one fare and one-fifth, final limit Sept. 25.

### Chili's New Envoy to England.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—It is announced that the provisional government of Chili has temporarily appointed Signor Augustine Ross the Chilean envoy at London.

## AMONG THE RACERS.

Exciting Enough.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 9.—In the first race today John Adams broke a blood vessel, stopping when about half way around the track. In the fifth Daisy F. and Meadowbrook fell, Daisy F. having both tendons of her right leg severed. It was asserted Forsythe or Meadowbrook tried to run into Daisy F.

One mile—Mary H. won, Pretty Well second, Cleatnut Belle third. Time, 1:36.

One mile and twenty yards—Eugenie won, Brown's second, Pretty Seldom third. Time, 1:48 1/2.

Four and one-half furlongs—Old Pepper won, Out Craft second, Captain Drane third. Time, 57 1/2.

A mile and 50 yards—Cup Bearer won, Royal G. r. r. second, Mean Enough third. Time, 1:47 1/2.

A mile and 100 yards—Sister Linda won, Roka Flower second, Delia third. Time, 1:49.

Four and one-half furlongs—Lizzie English won, Gila second, Alice D. third. Time, 57 1/2.

### Griffith Park Races.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—In the fifth Garfield Park race today Butte Cooper fell and seriously injured Jockey Jackson. The horse was badly hurt and had to be killed.

Antoinette fell in the sixth race, but neither her or her jockey was hurt.

Six furlongs—St. August first, Oakdale second, Seafoam third. Time 1:16 1/2.

One and one-sixteenth miles—Kimi first, McMurtry second, Rosa third. Time 1:51.

One mile and 70 yards—Grandpa first, Lucille second, Manette third, Glenash fourth. Time 1:48 1/2.

One mile—Verge d'Or first, Alho second, Hozel Bush third. Time 1:42 1/2.

Half mile—Uncle Harry first, Fly second, Queen Isabella third. Time 0:49 1/2.

Half mile—Missant first, Freedom second, Bessie Bird third. Time 0:49 1/2.

### Riverside Winners at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 9.—In the 2:28 trot Catharine Mavourneen won, Emperor Wilkes second; others drawn. Best time, 2:23 1/2.

In the 2:24 class—N. T. U. won, Ben Davis second, Mattie H. third, Romeo fourth. Best time, 2:17 1/2.

Two-year-olds—Annoreen won, Red Cherry second, Bermuda Boy drawn. Best time, 2:29 1/2.

### Trotters at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 9.—In the 2:25 trot Major won, Belle Corbett second, Position third, Bianca fourth. Best time, 2:22 1/2.

In the 2:28 trot—Rosa C. won, May King second, Florence Dillard third, St. Jacob fourth. Best time, 2:22 1/2.

In the 2:19 trot—Caer won, Subscriber second, Wayne Wilkes third. Best time, 2:16.

### The Records Are Shattering.

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 9.—In the bicycle races to-day, the one mile tandem safety world's record was broken in a handicap race by Banker and Brinker of Buffalo, the Scotchmen. Their time was 2:30 4-5.

Form and Fuller of Hartford won the race in 2:28, they having 150 yards the start.

### BASE BALL YESTERDAY.

National League.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 2, Chicago 4.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 6.

At New York—New York 7, Cincinnati 3.

At Boston—First game: Boston 10, Cleveland 4. Second game was called at the end of the sixth inning on account of darkness. Boston 10, Cleveland 8.

### Also, Poor MacQuenary!

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BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Russians are raging at Kharkov, Kiev, Kherson, Warsaw and other places in Russia.

### Cheap Excursions.

Let your friends in the East know that the Great Northern will sell round trip tickets August 25th, September 15th and 25th, from St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and Superior, in connection with eastern lines at reduced rates. Call at office, 106 Main street, for particulars.

## MOLLY WAS A RINGER

Cleveland Has a Sensation Resulting From a Horse Race.

### THE POOR BOOKIES SOLD

How a Shrewd Driver Put up a Job and Worked the Tail-end for a Big Sum.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 9.—It is believed that Molly A. that won the 2:40 race yesterday was a ringer. The mare was entered in the name of H. Allen of Buffalo, who owns the mare so named, but she is sick in her owner's stable. The driver disappeared after the race before receiving his share of the purse. The mare is in the driving par's stables, having been attached by the officials to secure the balance of the entrance fee unpaid. The bookmakers lost heavily on Molly A.

### Declared Off.

BUTTE, Sept. 9.—At a late meeting of the French Canadian Institute it was decided to hold no picnic this year. This was done on account of the number of picnics which have been held during the season. It was at first thought that the celebration would be held next Sunday, and preliminary preparations had been made to that end. The institute contemplates holding an appropriate celebration some time near the end of the year.

### I. O. O. F.—St. Louis and Return—\$66.30.

The Northern Pacific will sell on September 17 excursion tickets to St. Louis and return at \$65.50 for the round trip. Tickets will be sold on September 17th only, with final limit October 1, 1891. Full information will be furnished at 23 East Broadway.

### Placed on Shore.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—A cablegram from Admiral Brown to-day stated the Baltimore arrived safely at Malendo, Peru, and placed the Chilean refugees on shore.

On and after Aug. 26 the Northern Pacific railroad company will sell excursion tickets from Butte to Chicago and return, good for three months, at eighty dollars (\$80). All those desiring to make a trip East should take advantage of this rate, via the great trans-continental route.

Smoke the Irwin hand made Cigar.

### East Great Falls Townsite Company.

At the Great Falls of the Missouri River.

The Minneapolis of Cascades County.

Lots for sale, \$50,000, \$100,000.

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